

**Amendments to the Specification:**

Please replace the first paragraph, on page 1, beginning on line 5 and ending on line 11, with the following amended first paragraph:

This application is related to U.S. Serial No. 09/758,813, titled "A Process For Making A Lube Base Stock From A Lower Molecular Weight Feedstock," filed concurrently with this application, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Serial No. 09/470,053, titled "A Process For Making A Lube Base Stock From A Lower Molecular Weight Feedstock," filed December 21, 1999. This application is also related to U.S. Serial No. 09/758,897, titled "A Process For Making A Lube Base Stock From A Lower Molecular Weight Feedstock Using At Least Two Oligomerization Zones," filed concurrently with this application.